Evergreen

Evergreen, April 21.- A number from here attended the Appomattox Association last week.

Mr. and Mrs .H. B. Cralle spent last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Clapp and family in Richmond.

Mrs. Roy Warriner and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Clay, of Nathalie, Va.

The Willing Workers Circle met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harvey and Mr .and Mrs. E. L. Harvey on Thursday evening.

Those who attended the W. M. U. meeting at Benlah Church recently were Mrs. Z. E. Cheatham, Mrs. J. K. Hamilton, Mrs. O. C. Paulette, Mrs. J. E. Wooldridge, Mrs. C. J. Paulette, Mrs J. L. Evans, Mrs. Clara Garrett and Mrs. Kenneth St. John.

Mrs. Ruth Derbin and Mrs. Emma Harvey, of Lynchburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. David Paulette and family recently.

Mrs. L. M. Southall, Mrs. Elizabeth P. Robinson and Miss Cassie Baldwin, of Pampin called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Paulette recently.

Mr. and Mrs .E. T. Bruce, land Mr. M. L. Hudson attended the funeral of Mrs. Manie Jones at Halifax last week.

Mr and Mrs. J. L .Griffith, of Richmond visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Glover last week.

Mrs. O. C. Paulette spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keys and Carolyn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Staples visited Mrs. Sam White and family last week.

Mrs. R .J .Paulette spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. O. C. Paulette.

Good Timing

"I'm calling to make an appointment with the dentist," a small boy's voice explained over the telephone.

"I'm sorry," replied the nurse, "but he's out of town."

"Thank you," said the boy. 'When will he be out again?"

It All Depends

Joyce: What do you call a man who tries to pick you up in a car?

Jane: How big is the car?

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SILAGE GOOD WAY TO PRESERVE FORAGE

(Editor's note: This is the second of a series of articles on forage harvesting and feeding, a timely topic on Virginia dairy farms).

Silage may be the answer to the problem of forage preservation on your farm.

Dr. W. A. Hardison, dairy scientist at VPI, says making silage from the hay crop has many advantages. It is a good way to handle heavy, first-cutting crops that are ready to harvest during unfavorable hay-curing weather. At least as compared to making hay under field-curing conditions, making silage offers a way to preserve feed nutrients more efficiently. Furthermore, silage is palatable and high in feeding value.

Dr. Hardison backs up his belief with some reports of research done in several states. In tests designed to study the relative merits of different methods of harvesting and preserving alfalfa forage for dairy feed it was found that leaf loss averaged 47.5% for field-cured hay (varying from 38.3% when none of the hay was wet, to 74.5% for hay wet by three showers), 28.2% for barn-dried hay, and 17.8% for wilted silage. On an average, the leaf loss for the field-cured hay was 1.7 times as much as that for barn-dried hay, and 2.7 times as much as that for wilted silage.

In these studies dry matter losses were larger in the field than during storage for all methods of preservation except ensiling. With silage, the losses during storage were higher than those in the field. Total dry matter losses ranged from 15% for hay barn-dried with heat to 36.6% for weathered field-cured hay. About 17% of the dry matter was lost when the forage was scored as wilted silage.

More total digestible nutrients, digestible protein, and carotene were preserved for feeding in wilted silage than in either field-cured oooioioi ioioioioioi eee aaioioii oioi or barn-dried hay. The silage also was lowest in crude fiber.

Overall changes in composition and quality from cutting to feeding were smallest for silage and increasingly greater for barn - dried hay (heat), barn-dried hay (no heat), field-cured hay (no rain), field-cured hay (light rain), and field-cured hay (heavy rain).

When the forages were fed it was found that the wilted silage was more palatable than any of the other forages. Hays that were barn-dried with and without heat and hays that were field-cured without rain damage were all about equally palatable, but slightly less palatable than silage. Field-cured hay damaged by rain was the least palatable.

The different forages were all found to be of about equal value for milk production on an equal dry matter basis (along with corn silage and grain), except the badly rain-damaged field-cured hay which was of lower value.

More nutrients were preserved by making silage or barn-drying the hay crops than by field curing, even when weather conditions were favorable for field curing.

Definition

Raving Beauty — The gal who placed second in a beauty contest. —Whiting Tower, Milton, Fla.

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DOCTOR TALK

By Benjamin B .Blackmon, M. D.

Infectious mononucleosis, or 'glandular fever," has become a fairly commonly encountered disease among children and young adults. The groups most frequently affected of all are those in high school and college.

The actual cause of this disease process is not definitely known; however, all experimental evidence leads us to believe it results from a virus infection.

It apparently is not a highly contagious infection, and does not have epidemic qualities. The mode of transmission is thought to be from direct contact.

The usual picture is very similar to that seen in an acute viral infection. There is a characteristic period of onset, accompanied by sore throat, nasal stuffiness, coughing, headache, and the general complaints of influenza. One of the characteristic features with this disease is generalized enlargement of the lymph glands, particularly with those in the back of the neck. This is one of the features which leads a Doctor to suspect the possibility of this disease, when seeing a variety and number of cases of flu or disease of viral origin.

Probably the most important reason for recognizing glandular fever early is that the treatment, although very simple, is at the same time extremely singular. Absolute and strict bed rest is mandatory, and is required usually from three to six weeks, depending on the individual involvement. This factor is not generally recognized, and its importance cannot be over-emphasized. Many times sub-clinical or unrecognized acute phases of this disease occur, followed by a disguised remission for a period of time. In these cases there is later a gradual loss of energy, sluggishness and headaches, and other symptoms of general malaise, and possibly a low-grade fever. These unfortunate individuals are more resistant to a prompt recovery once the sub-acute or chronic process has developed.

This disease is not a really serious or fatal disease. However, it can be extremely debilitating, especially when it occurs in an extreme active and vital group of individuals. When adequate bed rest is enforced, with early recognition of its presence, there is usually no particular complication, and after a variable period of guarded activity the youngster may return to a completely normal and active existence.

V. M. I. lands double defeat to West Virginia in Southern Conference baseball games.

Wants Mayor To Wed

Taipei.- The Town Council at Taoyuan thinks Mayor Hse Hsincihh should get married.

It feels so strongly about this that it has named a twelve-man committee to find a wife for him.

The five women members of the town council also volunteered to help find the right girl.

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CHURCH NEWS

W. M. U. OF JAMES RIVER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

The 70th annual session of the Women's Missionary Union of the James River Baptist Association will be held at the New Hope Baptist Church on Thursday, April 30. Purpose of the meeting will be: "Declare His Glory."

Opening session will begin at 10 A. M. After the lunch hour, afternoon meetings will continue until 3:00 P. M.

Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church

Sunday School, 10 A. M.
Worship Service, 11:00.
Youth Fellowship, 7:00 P .M.
Church Choir, Monday, 3 P. M.
Session Meeting, Monday, 7 P. M.
Rummage sale, by Youth Fellowship Group, in B.'s Old Cash Store, Saturday, April 25, at 10:00.

Bible Baptist Church

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A .M.
Evening Service, 7:45 P .M.
Mid-week Service, Wed., at 7:45 P. M.

The Women's Prayer Circle of the church will meet in the home of Mrs. Lucaine Scruggs on Friday night, April 24, at 7:30.

"I Saw Petra," a film about the Holy city of the Near East, will be shown at the church on Sunday night, April 26, at 7:45.

MISSION STUDY CLASS AT NEW HOPE

The Mission Study, "Holy Spirit in Missions," will be taught at New Hope Church on Friday night, April 24, at 7:30, by Mrs. Richard Coleman. The public is invited.

Red O-k Baptist Church

Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship, 10:50 A .M.
Rev. Ernest Carey, speaker.
Training Union, 7:30 P. M.
Prayer Service, Wednesday at 7:30 P. M.

St. Ann's Episcopal Church

(4th Sunday After Easter)
10:15 A. M. Church School.
11 A. M. Holy Communion.
Rev. Robt. E .Withers, Celebrant.

Appomattox Methodist Circuit

Aaron D. Smith, Pastor
10 A. M. Bethel.
"A Pure Faith."
11:15 A. M. Trinity.

Seventh-day Adventist Church

W. P. Lawrence, Pastor
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Sabbath School, 9:30 A .M., Sat.
Worship Service, 11:00 A .M., Sat.
Subject: "Thine Is The Kingdom."
Welcome.

Evergreen Baptist Church

Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Rev. R .P. Welch, speaker.
Training Union, 7:00 P. M.
Prayer Service, Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.

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Memorial Methodist Church

Rev. Richard A. Bergdoll, Pastor

Sunday School, 10 A. M.

C. W. Smith, Supt.

Morning worship, 11 A. M.

Sermon: "Born For A Purpose."

Evening Worship. Sermon subject: "Paths That Move Mountains.

Spout Spring Baptist Church

Rev. W. E .Thompson, Jr., Pastor

10 A. M. Sunday School.

11 A. M. Worship Service. Sermon topic: "Levels of Living."

6:15 P. M. Intermediate Choir.

7:00 P. M. Training Union.

8:00 P. M. Studies in Ephesians.

Opportunities At Liberty

9:45 A. M. Graded Bible Study.

11:00 A. M. Worship.

"Majoring on Minors.

6:15 P. M. Church and Carol Choir.

7:00 P. M. Graded Training Union.

8:00 P. M. Baptismal Service.

The Royal Ambassadors will meet Monday at 7:30 P .M.

Bible Study and Prayer, 7:30 P. M., Wednesday.

Brotherhood meets at 7:30 P. M., Saturday.

A Town and Country Institute sponsored by the Extension Department of VPI, will be conducted, 4:00 to 8:30 P. M., Tuesday. The program is under the general planning and supervision of Mr. James Smith, Ba County Agent, and Mrs. Ella S. Anderson, the County Home Demonstration Agent.

Three members of Liberty were selected, on Monday night to represent the Appomattox Baptist Association at the Regional Meeting to be held at Brookneal, May 5. Mrs. Franklin Vaughan will represent the Adults with an essay on "Christian Witnessing." Miss Audrey Evans will represent the Intermediates in Better Speakers Tournament, speaking "Know Thyself Pure." Carolyn Hays will represent the Intermediates in Intermediate Sword Drill. There are forty churches in our association and the district represents five similar associations.

The Instruction of Dr .Wayne Womer, in Alcohol Education has been superior.

VERA S C. A.

The Vera S. C. A. met Tuesday at the school. The president, J. R. Megginson, Jr., presided. Judy Hackett led the devotion. The program consisted of poems, music and songs. Each committee gave reports and other committees were appointed by the president.

—Lois Morris, Reporter.

Halls of Ivy

Ponca City, Okla.- Mrs. LaRue Pfaff, first grade school teacher, assigned her students to bring in leaves and plants to decorate their room.

The youngsters responded eagerly, and Mike Smith brought in an armload of leaves. Only after itching set in did teacher and pupils find Mike's collection included poison ivy.

Clergymen urged to give premartial counsel.

New record set in steel output.

March car sales lift hopes. for surge.

Plan For Bible Schools

Liberty Baptist Church served as host to volunteer Vacation Bible School workers from the churches of the Appomattox Baptist Association on Thursday, April 23. The purpose of this meeting was to conduct a training clinic for those planning to teach in the summer Vacation Bible Schools held annually in most local Baptist Churches.

The program consisted of worship, inspiration, demonstrations, and conferences. The conferences were designed to acquaint the workers with materials, methods, and techniques,etc ., to be used in the Bible Schools this summer and to provide group discussions relating to the Bible School ministry of the local Baptist Churches.

Forty Baptist Churches located in five Virginia counties (Appomattox, Campbell, Charlotte, Prince Edward and Nottoway) cooperate in composing the Appomattox Baptist Association of Virginia. Rev. W. D. Gravitt, pastor of the Burkeville Baptist Church, is the Association Moderator, and Rev. Colie E. Rock, pastor of Hebron Baptist Church of Appomattox County, is the Associational Vacation Bible School Superintendent.

Stonewall

Stonewall, April 21.- We are so thankful for the nice April showers we are having. The wheat and clover crops are looking fine.

Miss Winfred Lee, of Harrisonburg College, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Lee. She had two of her chums from the same college visiting her, Miss Carolyn Bowers, of Waynesburg, and Miss Kitty Sue Cox of Petersburg .Always glad to see Winnie and her friends here.

Mr. Floyd Weidman, of Delaware and his parents, Mr .and Mrs. Weidmann spent the week-end with Mrs. R .H. Thornhill. He was accompanied home by his wife, and two girls, who had been visiting in the Thornhill home for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herold Jones and two sons, of Spout Spring, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irby Wheeler.

Mr .and Mrs .Tilden Lee and children and Miss Carolyn Bowers spent Sunday at Rustburg with Mr. and Mrs. Wash Wheeler.

Mr. Jessie Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick were the dinner guests on Sunday of Mr . and Mrs. Lester Carson.

Mr. and Mrs .Clifton Drinkard, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hqwlette Drinkard, Sr.

Sorry to say Mrs. C. M. Stratton is in Virginia Baptist Hospital and is going to be operated on today. We wish for this fine Christian lady a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davidson and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bondurant, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. E .O. Showalters and Steve, and Mr. and Mrs .Cantrell Smith and girls, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C .D. Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Drinkard, Jr., of Lynchburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard and Lawrence visited Mr .and Mrs. E. L. Chick on Sunday evening. Rev. and Mrs. Colie Rock, Dave and Mike and Mr. H. F. Drinkard visited in the Chick home on Tuesday.

Mr. Tommie Davidson and Jene spent Sunday in Lynchburg with Mrs. Davidson, who is still in the hospital.

We want to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stratton and Kay back to our community. They are at present living in Mrs. Rob Stratton's house, since moving here from Covington.

Mrs. A .B. Johnson, of Richmond, is spending some time here with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Beard.

Mr. and Mrs .Joe Burnette and family, of Lynchburg, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Burnette on Sunday.

How Much Corn This Year?

Your corn yield will be in direct proportion to number of stalks per acre and fertilizer—and, of course, water.

In most cases the farmer cannot control water but he does control population and fertility practices.

Mid-season varieties such as VPI 618, VPI 646, Funk G134, and Pioneer 301A should be planted at rate of 14-16,000 plants per acre and receive 600 to 800 lbs. of 10-10-10 or equivalent.

Soil insecticide demonstrations in Appomattox County last year pointed out that if soil insects are a problem, a 15-20% increase in stand can be obtained from using either aldrin or heptachlor in the soil.

These are available in the fertilizer at a cost of approximately $5.00 per acre. Three extra bushels and it's paid for.

New smelter converts scrap to aluminum ingots.

Windhorn gets award as top Yankee rookie.

Democrats make new gains in Michigan voting.

Industrial output sets a new record.

Soviet urges U. N. to define "aggression."

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